The GAZETTE, OF THE State of South-Carolina.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1777. [No. 2083]

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By his Excellency JOHN RUTLEDGE, *Esq; President and Commander in Chief of* SOUTH-CAROLINA.

A PROCLAMATION:

WHEREAS it is just and reasonable, that strangers resorting to, and desiring protection of this State, should give a solemn assurance of their fidelity and allegiance; and those who will not readily do so, may be suspected of holding principles injurious to the rights and liberties of America: I have therefore thought fit, by and with the advice of the Privy Council, to issue this Proclamation, requiring, and I do hereby require, That all persons (except prisoners of war) who have arrived in this State since the 13th of February last, and are now in Charles-Town, Beaufort or George-Town, take the oath mentioned in an Ordinance passed on that day, entitled, *An Ordinance for establishing an Oath of Abjuration and Allegiance*, before the commissioners appointed for administering the said oath, or any two of them, within ten days next ensuing the date hereof, and obtain a certificate from them for having so done: That all persons (except prisoners of war) who shall arrive in any of the said towns, take the said oath within two days after their arrival therein, before the said commissioners, or any two of them, and obtain a like certificate: That the said commissioners administer the said oath to the persons applying to them for that purpose, within the times above limited; and that they tender and administer the same to those who are hereby required to take it, and shall not apply to them for that purpose within the times abovementioned, and give them certificates as aforesaid: And that they, the said commissioners, make a return to me of the names of those who shall refuse to take the said oath, to the end that such proceedings may be had thereupon as the safety of the State may require.

Given under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the said State, at Charles-Town, this Thirteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven.

J. RUTLEDGE.

By his Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM NISBETT, Dep. Secretary

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By his Excellency JOHN RUTLEDGE, *Esq; President and Commander in Chief of* SOUTH-CAROLINA;

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is expedient and necessary to prevent the exportation of the several articles herein after mentioned: I have therefore thought fit, with the advice of the Privy Council, to issue this Proclamation, prohibiting and I do hereby accordingly prohibit the exportation of Hemp, Cordage, Salt, salted Beef and Pork, Flour and Ship Bread, from any port or place within this State to any other State, for the space of three months next ensuing the date hereof.

GIVEN under my hand, and the Great Seal, at Charles-Town, this 13th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven. J. RUTLEDGE.

By his Excellency's command,
WILLIAM NISBETT, Dep. Secretary.

New Advertisements.

To be sold by Private Contract,

A Plantation near Godfrey's Savanna, in St. Bartholomew's parish, containing 500 acres of land, about 80 of which are good rice land, with a sufficient quantity of provision land, and a very good range for stock, on the premises is a good dwelling house with necessary outbuildings, seven miles from a landing. Also,

A Tract of Land in Prince William's Parish, containing 400 acres, about 200 of which are good rice land, the remainder good for corn, &c. 15 miles from Pocotaligo and a very fine range for cattle.—For terms apply to

O'HEAR and LEGARE.

To be let on Lease for the term of 1 or 2 years.

A Tract of Land containing 400 acres adjoining lands of Robert Philp and Charles Brown, Esqrs. having a field of 70 or 80 acres of high land cleared; as fit for the culture of indico as any high lands in the neighbourhood; and about the same quantity of tupelo swamp (cleared also) inferior to no tide land in any part of this state.—The said tract of land is distant from Combahee Ferry about three miles. JACOB VALK.

To be SOLD,

On Friday the 21st of November, 1777, at my room in Church street, precisely at ten o'clock, for CASH,

Forty or Fifty valuable Negroes,

THE greatest part of them for the field, besides house wenches, boys and girls—a good many of them are spinners; and a family of a wench and four children, two boys and two girls. JACOB VALK.

To be sold at Public Vendue,

On Wednesday the 2d of December, at my room in Church-street, at 12 o'clock,

THAT well known house and lot of Mr. Johnston, baker in Church-street, containing in front of said street 20 feet, or thereabout, and in depth to Eastward 110 feet, together with all and every convenience that is made and now in being, belonging to the said trade, as a grist-mill, bake-house, &c. &c.—The purchaser paying 2000 l. Cash, in part, may have credit for the remainder, upon bond with approved security. JACOB VALK.

To be Let,

A Good Stable and Chair-house,

In Longitude-Lane. Enquire of WILLIAM BURROWS.

Five Hundred Pounds to be let at Interest.

Direct for B.C. to be left at Mr. Timothy's Printing-Office.

BEAUFORT, Nov. 1.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Samuel Grove, the Copartnerships of Grove and Davies, or John Kean and Co. on bond, note, or book-debt, are requested to settle with the subscriber before the first of February next, as he is determined to put the whole that remains unsettled that day into the hands of an attorney to be recovered without distinction.—N. B. Good indico will be taken in payment at market Price. JOHN KEAN.

LOST, supposed to be stolen, A GOLD WATCH With an out-side shagreen case somewhat worn, maker's name RAINSFORD, London, number not certain, but supposed to be 761, it has a common brass key on the chain, with a point to open the watch. Any person delivering the same to the subscriber, shall be entitled to a reward of Ten Pounds and no questions asked If it should be offered for sale, desire it may be stopped and the person who offers it. JOHN CORAM.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late Mr. John Coram, are desired to pay the same, on or before the first day of January next, to prevent the disagreeable necessity of suing for the same, as the subscriber is determined to put every bond, note, or account that is not settled by that day into the hands of an attorney at law.

JOHN CORAM, Administrator.

NOVEMBER 14.

FOUND by a negro woman belonging to the subscriber, upon the road, about four weeks ago, a red morocco Pocket-Book, the top torn off, with some paper money in it (and had had some other papers therein.)——The owner proving his property may have it again, paying for this advertisement, and rewarding the negro for her honesty, by applying to MARY MILLER, in Church-street.

THOMAS SINGLETON, an experienced Tobacco Planter,

Proposes, and doth engage to publish, a portable Treatise,

For the Benefit of the Publick

On the Culture of Tobacco, thro' the various Processes,

IN a plain, easy, and comprehensive stile, on a good paper, and an American Type, as soon as the well wishers to so beneficial a production in this state shall have subscribed for a sufficient number of his inductions, to enable him to defray the expences attending the same, which he will complete and have ready to be delivered, (to the subscribers only) on or before the first day of January, 1778; setting forth,

First, the quality of the soil proper for the culture of that valuable plant.—2dly, The method of preparing the land against seed time.—3dly, The season and method of planting to the greatest advantage.—4thly, The management of the plant from its infancy to maturity. 5thly, The infallible rule to know its maturity and greatest perfection. 6thly, The most approved method of gathering in and preparing it thro' all the various stages, fitting for the inspection of the best judges; and being attended to and executed, the planter, with God's permission, may assure himself of success, far beyond his most sanguine expectation, at the moderate price of Two Dollars for a treatise, to be paid on subscribing, to

Their most obedient and very humble servant,

THOMAS SINGLETON.

Subscriptions are also taken at Mr. Timothy's, Mr. Bruce's, and Mr. Wells's printing-offices, and by Mr. George Ancrum and William Holiday in Broad-street.

STrayed or stolen from the subscriber, on Charles-Town road above the Ten mile House, the first of June last, two Geldings, one a bay, about 6 years old, 13 hands 3 inches high, has only one eye, branded G 2 and J G, of the Chikesaw breed, and a trotter; the other a black, 13 hands and an half high, branded G 2 and I S, 4 years old, and paces and trots. Whoever will deliver said horses to me, on Saludy River, shall have 40 pounds, or 20 pounds for either, or ten pounds each for information, so that he may get them again; and Fifty Pounds reward, if stolen, upon conviction of the thief, from GEORGE STROTHER.

Lynch's Creek, Camden District.

JOHN RICE informs me of a sorrel roan mare, with a blaze in her face, 16 or 17 years old, 3 white feet, and branded A L on the near shoulder, and F on the thigh, with a bell on.——Andrew Falkenbury, of a sorrel mare, with white hairs, 4 years old, a blaze in her face, and branded † on her near shoulder, and F on the thigh, and is creft fallen; as also of a yearling heifer, unmarked, has red sides, white back and belly, and white face.——James Ingram, of a black horse, branded I on the near thigh, his age unknown.——Robert Dixon of two yellow bay geldings, of 3 or 4 years old, one hath a blaze down his face with part of his left eye white, hind feet are also white, paces and trots, branded W on the thigh, has a 15s. bell on marked on one side M C, and on the other M; the other hath a blazing star and snip, with a 10s. bell, and is also branded W on the thigh, and has part of one hind foot white. The owners must prove their properties before

ANDREW BASKIN, J.P.

To be sold at Public Vendue,

On Monday the 31st of November, at my store on the Bay, the sale to begin precisely at 3 o'clock in the afternoon,

All the valuable Library of Books,

Of the late Dr. Lionel Chalmers deceased. Catalogues will be given out a few days previous to the sale.

JOHN WALTERS GIBBS.

On Tuesday the 27th of January next, 1778,

Will be sold to the highest Bidder,

At the front of the Exchange in Charles-Town, precisely at 12 o'clock at noon,

THree Tracts of Land, in Craven county, on the N.E. side of Black River, viz. one tract containing 2300 acres, and the other two 500 each, all adjoining, and making in the whole 3300 acres of land—the latter two tracts having a large bold creek, called called Birch Creek, running through them; the situation being but a small distance from George-Town, the land being well timbered, and as good a range for cattle as any in that neighbourhood, renders the whole the most convenient for saw and other mills of any in the State. The plats may now be viewed in my store—The conditions will be made known on the day of sale. JOHN WALTERS GIBBS.

THE Copartnership of GIBBS and CORAM being long since dissolved, they were in hopes, that all those indebted to that concern would have prevented them taking this method of requesting them to pay off their respective accounts, before the first day of January next, as all accounts of that copartnership, of what nature soever, that remain unsettled, on that day, will be placed in the hands of an attorney at law to be sued for, without further notice.

LOST about a month ago, from my house, supposed to be strayed a courting,

A very large, dark-tabby Cat,

of the masculine gender, was very fat, and had on when he went away, a pair of very large——tusks, is generally very watery about the mouth, is a great thief, very sagacious and good humoured. Whoever will deliver him to me, or the Warden of the Workhouse, shall receive two dollars reward. JOHN WALTERS GIBBS.

☞ He answers to the name of TOM.

THE subscriber having been at the Two-mile house, and seeing there a dark bay horse, which he supposed belonged to a gentleman in town, paid the charges and brought him away; he is about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder L 6, on the mounting buttock E, and is about 12 years old; but the said horse not belonging to that gentleman, whoever will prove his property, and pay the expences, may have him again, on applying in Mulatto-Alley, to SAMUEL PERRY.

Little Saludy, Ninety-Six District.

TOLLED before me, by Nathan Corley, a bay gelding, 14 hands high, 12 years old, has a star, paces, is branded on the near shoulder gL A, (the gL in one) and on the near buttock W R K, and on the off shoulder and buttock J B.

James Jones tolls a bay mare 13 hands high, with a star, the two hind feet white, branded on the near shoulder and buttock S I, six years old, and has a bell on.

Charles Pattey tolls a black mare, 13 hands high, 8 years old, has some saddle spots, paces and trots, branded on the near shoulder $\frac{VH}{W}$, the VH joined by a — and on the off shoulder $\frac{T}{W}$, joined together.

William M'Connel tolls a grey mare, 5 years old, not broke, and branded on the near shoulder AP joined together.

Alexander M'Dougan tolls a black mare, about 12 years old, branded on the near shoulder W.

Also, a bright bay mare, 8 years old, her two hind feet white, has some grey hairs down her face, a bell on, and branded on both sides I F, on the near shoulder and buttock W F, and on the off shoulder B. W.

Likewise, a dark bay gelding, aged, branded on the near buttock $\frac{2}{K}$. The owners must prove their properties before SAMUEL FICKLING, J.P.

DAVID PERKINS informs me of two sheep, an ewe and a wether, the ewe is mobled, and the wether white; marked with two crops and an under keel.

William English, of a black horse, about 4 feet 3 inches high, branded on the near shoulder H, and is very old.

Peter Black, of an iron grey mare, about 3 or 4 years old, branded on the off buttock IX C, about 13 hands.

James Butler, of a very old black mare, 13 hands and an half, branded on the shoulder and buttock y in a circle, has a remarkable white spot on her shoulder, and has with her a horse colt, with one glass eye, neither docked nor branded.

Henry Weaver, of a bright bay horse, 13 hands and an half high, branded on the near buttock 9 C, and is about 6 or 7 years old.

Abner Williams, of a small bay mare, 4 feet 3 inches high, branded on the near shoulder $\frac{T}{n}$, and on the off $\frac{T}{W}$, is about 3 or 4 years old. The owners of the above strays must prove their properties before THO. GREEN, J.P.

Camden District.

JAMES FALKS informs me of a Bay Mare, with small white spots all over her, better than twelve hands high, four years old, and branded on the mounting shoulder PW joined together. The owner must prove his property before SAMUEL NELSON, J.P.

JAMES STEVENSON informs me of a small black horse, about 13 hands high, and branded on the mounting shoulder I H, having strayed into his pasture at Wassamsaw. The owner must prove his property before JOHN TROUP, J.P.

The following is taken from the ANTIGUA GAZETTE of the 10th of September last.

LONDON, July 3.

The following circular Letter was lately delivered, by a miniſterial meſſenger, to the different Foreign Ambaſſadors reſident in London.

MY LORD,

IT is an incontrovertible fact, that the diminution of American commerce is the increaſe of the Ruſſian. The Empreſs's dominions, with the advantage of a moſt numerous population, may ſupply Europe with tobacco, rice, indico, coffee and cotton, which will benefit her ſubjects three millions ſterling yearly at leaſt. Labour is ſo much cheaper in Ruſſia than America, that in profound peace ſhe can underſel the Americans. It appears very obvious to be the common intereſt of Europe to annihilate America, as not only being a moſt powerful commercial rival to Ruſſia, in every branch, but alſo to Pruſſia, Denmark and Sweden, in naval ſtores, iron, &c. She is, or will be, a rival to France, Spain and Portugal, as South-Carolina is as favourable to the growth of wines, fruits, &c. as theſe countries. The commercial intereſts of Europe, North and South America, are diametrically oppoſite; for a million as America diminiſhes, Europe increaſes; and, *vice verſa*, if the colonies are ever permitted a free navigation.—It is navigation that creates commerce: annihilating American navigation, is in reality reducing them to their primitive ſtate, which at preſent may be done; but perhaps in a few years hence, not.

The Britiſh territory in North-America, is 122,806 ſquare miles; 640 acres to a ſquare mile, is 718,592,000 acres; 5 acres to each perſon is 145,718,400; according to which, North America will ſupport a population of 26,118,400 more than Europe; the inhabitants of this continent being 117,600,000, by which a judgment may be formed of what North-America is capable of being if not timely prevented. The millions of money and people North-America was poſſeſſed of, prior to this rebellion, was European, conſequently a loſs of ſo much to Europe. Europe may at this inſtant be repaid: Now or never is the time; for it is the intereſt of this, as well as every other maritime and commercial power, to cruſh America; not only their intereſt, but the peace of Europe, depends upon it; as in a few years America may carry on a maritime war againſt Europe. The common intereſt of Europe abſolutely requires a total annihilation of American navigation, as alſo the ſea port towns, which will ſoon be found to be a tranſfer of millions ſterling to Europe. The Americans, deprived of navigation, the foundation of commerce, will remigrate with their fortunes to this country, Germany, &c. It is impoſſible to enumerate the many advantages that this continent will derive from a total reduction of America, in the remigration of ſubjects, navigation and commerce; it muſt be beyond conception great.

Every remigrant may be eſtimated at 10 l. ſterling a year to Europe, in the common neceſſaries of life, cloathing, dwelling, &c. There are three millions of people in North America, deprived of navigation; ſuppoſing one-third to remigrate, is ten millions ſterling yearly. The Britiſh commercial capital, inſtead of being in America, will be employed in Europe, infinitely more to its own advantage, as to the intereſt of each trading nation. The ſavings and profits to Europe in general will be immenſe, by America's total reduction.

After a moſt mature, deliberate conſideration, and diveſted of every prejudice, I find it to be, the diminution of America is the increaſe of Europe's common intereſt; and that the millions now poſſeſſed by America, is really, and *bona fide*, European property; we ſhould this day have been ſo many millions richer; Great-Britain, in particular, having been the greateſt dupe to tranſmarine poſſeſſions. The produces, navigation, commerce, fiſheries, and agriculture of America, are the ſame as European, which muſt render the two continents oppoſite in their common intereſt.

N. N.

P. S. Tobacco will grow in any part of Europe: it did formerly grow in this country. An act of parliament was paſſed to prohibit the planting of it, in order to give encouragement to the planters in Virginia and Maryland. The French, Dutch, and Spaniards, for a temporary, tranſient commerce, are ſacrificing their own, as well as the intereſt of Europe in general.

New Advertiſements.

Receſs Society.

THE Annual Meeting will be held at the Marine Lodge Room, in Lodge Alley, on Tueſday the 21 of December next, when all the Members are requeſted to attend. *By Order of the Preſident,*

JAMES CURRY, Secretary.

WHereas little or no regard has been paid to my former advertiſement: This is to acquaint thoſe concerned, that unleſs they ſettle their accounts with Verree and Harris forthwith, they will find them put into the hands of an attorney at law, without any diſtinction or further notice. JOSEPH VERREE.

Found, a Ten Pounds Bill: whoever can prove the property, may have it by applying as above.

FOUND on the road between Stono and Aſhley Ferry, on Saturday the 8th inſt. a neat Braſs-barrel Piſtol — The owner thereof may have it again, paying for this advertiſement, and applying to JOHN GOUGH.

ANY Perſon who wants to hire a Negro with a good breaſt of milk, may hear of one by applying to the printer.

To be hired as a Wet Nurſe,

A Very likely, young, country-born Wench, with a good breaſt of milk, and without a child.—Enquire of the printer.

For Sale by Auction,

At Strickland's, near Charles-Town, on Wedneſday the 10th of December next,

Upwards of Sixty SLAVES,

AMong whom are good houſe-wenches, ſeamſtreſſes, ſpinners, &c. belonging to the eſtate of Col. Benjamin Singleton, the eſtate of Robert Hume and others.

Alſo, a Tract of 1000 Acres of Land, in the townſhip of Queenſborough; a tract of 500 acres on Willow Branch on Black River; and a tract of 4000 acres on Pedee, commonly called Hume's Lands, and generally eſteemed as good as any in the ſtate; and a Houſe and Lot on Trott's Point, all belonging to the eſtate of Robert Hume, to be ſold by expreſs directions of his will: The titles may be ſeen in our hands, and the conditions will be declared for both the negroes and lands on the day of ſale.

Alſo, a ſtock of 30 or 40 head of cattle, belonging to the eſtate of Col. Singleton, to be delivered at Gooſe-Creek. SAM. PRIOLEAU, jun. and Co.

In CONGRESS, Oct. 6, 1777.

RESOLVED,

THAT ſo much of the reſolution of the 23d day of March 1776, as directs, that the wages of ſeamen and mariners taken on board Britiſh merchant veſſels, be paid and deducted out of the prize money, be repealed and made null and void.

RESOLVED,

That all maſters, officers, and mariners, and all ſubjects of the king of Great-Britain, taken on board any prize made by any continental veſſel of war, be hereafter conſidered as priſoners of war, and treated as ſuch; and that the ſeamen and mariners of ſuch prize be confined in the gaols or other ſecure place in the ſtate to which the prize ſhall be carried; and it is recommended to the ſeveral ſtates to conſider and treat all captains, officers, and mariners, and all ſubjects of the king of Great-Britain, taken on board any prize made by any veſſel fitted out by, or carried into, any ſtate, by any privateer or letter of marque, as priſoners of war.

RESOLVED,

That it be recommended to the legiſlatures of the ſeveral ſtates, to paſs laws, declaring, that any perſon, his aider or abettor, who ſhall wilfully and maliciouſly burn or deſtroy, or attempt or conſpire to burn or deſtroy, any magazine of proviſions, or military or naval ſtores, belonging to the United States; or if any maſter, officer, ſeaman, mariner, or other perſon, intruſted with the navigation or care of any continental veſſels, ſhall wilfully and maliciouſly burn or deſtroy any ſuch veſſel, or ſhall wilfully betray, or voluntarily yield or deliver, or attempt and conſpire to betray, yield, or deliver ſuch veſſel to the enemies of the United States, ſuch perſon, his aider or abettor, on legal conviction thereof, ſhall ſuffer death without benefit of clergy.

Extract from the minutes,

CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

All printers are deſired to inſert and continue the foregoing reſolutions in their public news papers at leaſt ſix months.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

John Simpſon and Co. vs. *James Penman.* } In the Common Pleas. CASE on ATTACHMENT.

WHEREAS the Plaintiff in this Action, did the 20th Day of February, 1777, file his Declarations in the Office of the Clerk of this honourable Court, againſt the Defendant, who is abſent from and without the limits of this State, and having neither Wife or Attorney known within the ſaid State, upon whom a Copy of the ſaid Declaration, with a Rule to plead thereto, within a Year and a Day, might be ſerved: It is therefore ordered, in Purſuance of the Act of Aſſembly, in that Caſe made and provided, That the ſaid Defendant do appear and plead to the ſaid Declaration, on or before the 17th Day of March, which ſhall be in the Year of our Lord 1778, otherwiſe final and abſolute Judgment will be given and awarded againſt him.

WILLIAM MASON, C. C. P.

Office of Common-Pleas, March 15, 1777.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

Shirley and Price, vs. *Stewart Nicoll.* } In the Common Pleas. DEBT on ATTACHMENT.

WHEREAS the Plaintiff in this Action, did, on the 20th of February, 1777, file his Declaration in the Office of the Clerk of this Honourable Court, againſt the Defendant, who is abſent from, and without the Limit of, this State, and having neither Wife nor Attorney known within the ſaid State, upon whom a Copy of the ſaid Declaration, with a Rule to plead thereto within a Year and a Day, might be ſerved: It is therefore Ordered, in Purſuance of the Act of Aſſembly in that Caſe made provided, That the ſaid Defendant do appear and plead to the ſaid Declaration, on or before the 22d Day of February, which ſhall be in the Year of our Lord 1778, otherwiſe final and abſolute Judgment will then be given and awarded againſt him. WILLIAM MASON, C. C. P.

Office of Common-Pleas, Feb. 20, 1777.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

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William Savage, vs. *Nathaniel Wraxall.* } In the Common Pleas. CASE on ATTACHMENT.

WHEREAS the Plaintiff in this Action, did the 27th Day of May, 1777, file his Declaration in the Office of the Clerk of this honourable Court, againſt the Defendant, who is abſent from and without the Limits of this State, and having neither Wife nor Attorney known within the ſaid State, upon whom a Copy of the ſaid Declaration, with a Rule to plead thereto, within a Year and a Day, might be ſerved: It is therefore ordered, in Purſuance of the Act of Aſſembly, in that Caſe made and provided, That the ſaid Defendant do appear and plead to the ſaid Declaration, on or before the 27th Day of May, which ſhall be in the Year of our Lord 1778, otherwiſe final and abſolute Judgment will then be be given and awarded againſt him. WILLIAM MASON, C.C.P.

Office of Common-Pleas, May 27, 1777.

To be ſold at private Sale,

An exceeding good HOUSE CARPENTER. Enquire of Mr. Iſaac Holmes,

MR. Delmarez (at the Chevalier Roche's on the Bay) Supper-cargo of the ſhip Lilaneur of Bourdeaux, lately ſtranded within the bar, upon Cuming's iſland, hereby offers, to all perſons incliinable to go on board the ſaid ſhip, to ſave any part of the cargo, ONE THIRD of all that may be ſo ſaved and delivered to him, they being at the expence of ſo doing.

STolen or Strayed from off Charles-Town Green, a dapple Grey Horſe, 14 hands high, branded on the off ſhoulder and buttock A ✤ S. Whoever will deliver ſaid horſe to the ſubſcriber in Tradd ſtreet, ſhall receive a reward of Ten Pounds and all reaſonable charges.

JANE THOMSON.

NOtice is given to all perſons having any demands againſt the eſtate of the deceaſed Lieutenant Xavier Raphael of the Artillery Regiment, to bring in their accounts, properly atteſted, to Doctor Labertas, in Queen-ſtreet, who will diſcharge the ſame.

THE ſubſcriber will want ſeveral Overſeers by the firſt of January: He will give good encouragement to thoſe who come well recommended to him for their honeſty, ſobriety and diligence; and he will not employ any one without a recommendation. Men with wives, who have been uſed to take care of ſick negroes, will be preferred.

HENRY MIDDLETON.

To be diſpoſed of,

One Hundred Plants bearing Grapes,

OF the beſt Portugal, large black Muſkatels, and white Vernaſſes.——The ſeaſon now proper for tranſplanting them; directions will be given how to plant, in what ground, and how to cultivate them all the year, by

LEWIS MOFETT.

Alſo plants a year old, and others of the laſt ſeaſon.

To be ſold by the Subſcriber,

On the firſt Tueſday in December, at Andrew Hibbin's Ferry, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, if a fair day, if not the firſt fair day after,

Three Tracts of Land or Plantations,

In St. James's Pariſh, Santee,

ONE of 700 acres on the mouth of Auendau Creek, fronting the ſea ſhore, about 100 of which is cleared, about 150 acres fit for indico or corn, the other moſtly good pine land well timbered, with ſome fire wood, very convenient to a landing.

One Tract of 400 acres adjoining Mr. Johnſon's, Mr. Gaillard's, and Joſeph Huggins's lands; it is exceeding good pine land, well timbered, and has a great quantity of lightwood thereon, and is about a quarter of a mile from a landing.

One of 410 acres, adjoining Wambaw Creek and Mr. Durant's land, 118 acres are good ſwamp and tide land, and about 20 acres cleared; there is a good dwelling-houſe and ſome out-houſes thereon. GEO. WHITE.

The conditions will be made known on the day of ſale.

For SALE,

At ALEXANDER MACBETH's Store in Elliott-ſtreet,

LOndon Madera Wine, at a very moderate advance on the purchaſe made at the public ſales at George-Town, by the pipe, half pipe, or dozen; Jamaica, Weſt-India, and Northward rum, coffee, ſalt, and Muſcovado ſugar, by the hogſhead, tierce or barrel; Engliſh cordage, checks and ſtripes, herrings in barrels, and a complete aſſortment of earthen ware—Liſbon, port, and ſherry wines by the pipe, quarter-cask or dozen, and as good in quality as any ever imported into this ſtate.

JOHN JEFFORDS, jun. has for Sale,

At the ſtore lately occupied by Mr. William Scott, jun. next to the corner of Elliott-Street, on the Bay,

VERY neat Chair Harneſſes, mens neat ſaddles, duffil great coats, broad cloths, ſerge denſime, black callimanco, black everlaſting, callico, and check muſlins, clear lawn, cambricks, humhums, white callicoes, dimity, white linen, checks and ſtripes, worſted and cotton hoſe, mens fine hats, writing paper, ſpices, ſweet oil, loaf ſugar, with ſundry other articles too tedious to mention.

N. B. He ſells dry goods on the uſual commiſſions, and will be obliged to his friends and others for their favours.

Will be ſold by Auction,

Purſuant to the Will of James Poſtell, *Eſq; deceaſed,* Near the Exchange, on Thurſday the 4th day of December, at 12 o'clock,

FOUR Valuable Tracts of Land, two of which are eſteemed as good as any indico land in this ſtate, ſituate on the Wateree river, the upper tract of which, containing 1500, and the lower 1250 acres, more or leſs.——The two other tracts are lying and being on the Buffalo ſwamp, near Turtle-River in Georgia, and contain in the whole, about 1800 acres more or leſs.—Any perſons deſiring to ſee the plats, may at any time, by enquiring of Thomas Smith, Eſq; in Broad-ſtreet.

THOMAS SMITH,
JAMES SKIRVING, jun.
JOHN POSTELL, jun. } Acting Executors.

Will be Sold by Auction,

On Monday the 1ſt of December, at the ſubſcriber's plantation Round ⊙,

ABout 600 buſhels of corn, the crop of rough rice, and 25 or 30 head of tame cattle. The Conditions are caſh. JOHN WARING.

One Hundred Pounds currency Reward.

A Silver-hilted SMALL SWORD, nearly as ſome years ago of the ordnance in ſome Britiſh regiments, with a ſtrong chain round the gripe intermixed with a gilded plate, having lately received a new black calf-ſkin ſcabbard, was in the night of Saturday the 1ſt inſt. during the time of the fire, taken out of its belt hanging before the chimney of my dining-room:—As villains taking advantages of ſuch diſtreſſing circumſtances deſerve to be puniſhed, above all others, I ſhall pay the above reward to any one who ſhall apprehend or inform againſt the thief, ſo as to convict him, upon proſecution.

JOHN DE LA HOWE.

ALL perſons having demands on the eſtate of the Rev. William Tennent deceaſed, are deſired to deliver atteſted accounts thereof; and thoſe indebted to make payment to SUSANNA TENNENT, Executrix, EDWARD DARREL, Executor.

Charles-Town, Nov. 18.

IN consequence of the intelligence received last week, we flattered ourselves, that we should, by this time, have been able to give our readers an account of the remarkable evacuation (if not of the departure) of the British army, under the command of Sir William Howe, from Pennsylvania; but we are disappointed. He was then represented in full march, on the 18th of October, over the Schuylkill; and the occasion of it was conjectured to be, his having received information, at one and the same time, of General Burgoyne's defeat and surrender, of the critical junction of General Clinton between the Generals Gates and Putnam, of General Parsons's march towards New-York, and of General Spencer's design against Rhode-Island: these circumstances, it was thought, had induced him to determine upon abandoning Philadelphia, and making the best of his way for Chester, that being the most convenient post from whence he might carry off his troops in safety, should there be an urgent call for their service elsewhere: But it appears, by accounts since received, so late as the 25th, that he did not cross the Schuylkill; and that, though he broke up all the roads in his rear, and threw every possible impediment in the way of a pursuit, when he quitted German-Town, yet he did not proceed farther than Philadelphia; at or near which city he was strongly intrenching his camp, and had fixed his head quarters. General Washington had, at the same time, advanced to German-Town, and fixed his head-quarters there.—What Sir William's views may have been, in removing to Philadelphia seems difficult to determine; for, unless Lord Howe (his brother) or the two brothers in conjunction, can destroy, or get possession of, the forts at Red Bank and upon Mud Island, and the little American fleet of gondolas and gallies that lie near them, to prevent the weighing the several tiers of vaisseaux de frize, which have been sunk in the Delaware, between Billingsport and near the mouth of the Schuylkill, before the severe cold weather sets in, it seems highly probable, that General Washington will soon have it in his power to surround Sir William's whole army, effectually cut off its communication with the shipping, and starve him into a surrender.——Hitherto the passes of the Delaware have been defended with a spirit and bravery that will reflect lasting honour upon the soldiers that garrison the forts, and the seamen that man the vessels. From about the 4th of October, the British ships of Lord Howe's fleet began to cannonade the forts, and continued to do so for seven days successively, without receiving a single shot in return; during that period, a small gap was effected in the lowest tier of obstructions; and then the men of war made repeated attempts to approach the second tier, but were always beat off, by a well directed fire from our works and little fleet. About this time a battery was erected by the enemy at the mouth of the Schuylkill, but our gallies soon demolished it. Another was then attempted to be raised on Province Island, the gallies soon destroyed that also, and made two officers and 54 soldiers prisoners there, who were immediately sent to Haddonfield in New-Jersey. On the 15th the Vigilant, a cut-down ship, turned into a floating battery, mounting twenty 24 pounders, together with the Roebuck and Pearl, of 40 guns each, threw a most furious fire at fort Mifflin, but were repulsed by our Cannonades and Gallies, as well as by a brisk return of fire from the fort, with the loss of near 300 men, and the ships most terribly shattered; particularly the Vigilant and Roebuck, the last of which was with difficulty drawn off, and replaced by the Somerset. On the same day the surgeons of those who had been wounded in the battle of the 4th inst. about 300 in number, were removed from Germantown into hospital ships, and their guard, consisting of 200 British and Hessians, put on board transports, carried higher up the river, and landed on the Jersey shore, to attack fort Mifflin by land; but they did not arrive time enough to assault the fort during the cannonade. What passed on the river, from that day to the 23d, we have not been informed: But we learn, that on the 24th another attack was made upon Fort Mifflin, both by land and water; from the river by the Augusta of 64 guns, the Aurora of 36, and 6 other smaller vessels of war, who began a most severe cannonade at 6 o'clock in the morning, and continued it incessantly till 4 in the afternoon; when a fireship being sent from the fort, she grappled the Augusta, the channel being very narrow, and instantly set her in a blaze up to her top gallant masts, so that she presently blew up, with all the people on board, except as many as could be taken up by three boats, and the Aurora shared the same fate, but not a single person survived, which put an end to the naval part of the attack. On the land side, the attack was made in the midst of the cannonade, by 3000 troops sent across the Delaware for that purpose; but this body proved as unsuccessful as the shipping, for they also were soon beat off, and totally defeated, with the loss of about 500 men, killed, wounded, and taken prisoners, amongst the latter the Hessian Count Donop and his Aid-de-camp, both wounded. Another account says, the British men of war destroyed, were supposed to be the Eagle and the Apollo; but the Eagle was the Admiral's ship, and the Apollo had sailed for England within these three months, as convoy to a packet-boat, sent from Maryland with the two brothers dispatches when the landing was made at the head of the Elk. The little American fleet, are said to have distinguished themselves during the above attack upon Fort Mifflin; and every part of the defence of that pass, and of the repulse of the enemy, is said to have been executed as well as it was concerted.

A person who has very lately made his escape from lord Howe's fleet, assures us, that the two brothers were so sure of an easy and early conquest of Pennsylvania, and its appendages, that they permitted near 60 sail of vessels laden with merchandize, to accompany them from New-York, to reap the immense advantages expected from being the first at Philadelphia market: But that these merchants became at length so tired, as well as disappointed, that on the 12th of October last, they presented a petition to his Lordship, praying his *leave to return* to New-York with their goods—in lieu of which he gave them the strongest assurances, that measures had been so concerted, as to render it impossible for the river to continue much longer in possession of the Americans—*witness the reception they gave his ships on the 15th and 24th! and the defeat of 3000 British troops on the last of those days.*

In a letter from Boston, dated the 24th of October, we are informed, that the number of Mr. Burgoyne's army, expected there, amounts to near 6000 men; and that barracks are fitting up for their reception on Winter-Hill, where they may have a good view of Bunker's Hill.

Amongst the military stores delivered up by General Burgoyne, to Gen. Gates, are 46 pieces of brass cannon, 30,000 stand of arms, and a considerable quantity of clothing, &c.

A letter from Georgia advises, that on the 23d ult. the Pilot-Boat at Sunbury (lately the Cotesworth-Pinckney privateer of this port, and then commanded by Captain William Rankin, to well known here as not to need describing) was carried off from thence, to St. Augustine; and that on the 30th, the same boat returned to Cockspur, and took the Savannah pilot-boat upon the Bar, with Mr. Adams the pilot on board, and carried both off.—As both these vessels are said to have appeared off Port Royal Bar last week, it may not be amiss (to prevent strangers being decoyed) to give a description of the latter, viz. She had a figure head, a small round-house, railed bars, remarkably taunt masts, her bottom beau-topt with white lead, her sides payed with lamp-black down to her bends, a new head to her mainsail, and jib slept from the head to the foot with new stuff.

Last Wednesday ended the balloting for a member of the General Assembly of this State for this town, in the room of the Hon. John Neufville, elected a member of the Legislative Council, when John Peronneau, Esq; was declared duly elected.

The same day Mr. Abraham Mendez Sexias, of the State of Georgia, was married to Miss Rucey Hart, a young lady of the most amiable qualifications, daughter of Mr. Joshua Hart of this town.

Last Friday night died, David Graeme, Esq; who some years since retired from the practice of the law.

A letter of mark sloop is just returned from Hispaniola, which, on the 7th ult. in concert with another sloop not yet arrived, made prize of the sloop Betsey, (James Krogh late master) from the Musquito Shore bound for Jamaica.

Since our last, the price of salt has been artificially raised from four to ten and twelve pounds per bushel, and yet there is no scarcity of that article,——a subject which we leave our readers to comment on.

IN CONGRESS, Oct. 14, 1777.

WHereas the British nation have received into their ports, and condemned in their courts of admiralty, as lawful prize, several vessels and their cargoes belonging to these states, which the masters and mariners in breach of the trust and confidence reposed in them, have betrayed and delivered to the officers of the British crown;

RESOLVED THEREFORE,

That any vessel or cargo, the property of any British subject, not an inhabitant of Bermuda or any of the Bahama islands, brought into any of the ports or harbours of any of these United States, by the master or mariners, shall be adjudged lawful prize, and divided among the captors, in the same proportion as if taken by any continental vessel of war. *Extract from the minutes.*

CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

New Advertisements.

ON Sunday evening the 2d of November, was stolen out of my yard, a brown bay gelding, about 14 hands high, branded on one thigh I D, and on the other brands that cannot be recollected, trots, canters, and draws well in a draught, and has a very remarkable scar on his rump; Twenty Pounds reward will be given for his delivery in Charles-Town to James Witter, jun. or on May River to Thomas Rivers.

To be sold,

Together, or in smaller parcels,

FIFTY Muskets, ten complete Suits of mens cloaths, and sundry other goods. Apply to Messrs. Menager and Livesey in Elliott-Street.

A Washer and Ironer.

WANTED to purchase, for which a good price will be given, one of a good disposition, that can be well recommended for her sobriety and honesty, apply to

JOHN BENFIELD.

November 14, 1777.

RUN away about a month ago, and have since been seen beyond Ponpon, supposed to be gone towards Indian Land or Georgia, two sensible young Carolina-born negroes, viz. QUACO, about 20 years of age, a small limb'd fellow, without a beard, had on or carried with him, a white negro cloth robbia, a pair of leather Breeches, another of Osnabrugs, and a white shirt, and has since called himself Sam. SARY, about 17 years of age, a likely yellowish wench, a good seamstress, and has since called herself Sally: She carried away, or had on, an Osnabrugs shift, a white Joseph, a white handkerchief about her head, a striped petticoat, one of Osnabrugs, and one of purple dyed woollen. They travelled together, and may change their dress as well as names. Whoever delivers them to the Warden of the Work-house in Charles-Town, to the subscriber at Long-Savannah, or gives such information of them that they may be found and taken, shall be suitably rewarded. CATHARINE CATTELL.

ALL Persons anywise indebted to the estate of Henry Folcker or Conrad Kysell deceased, or to Esther Stent (formerly Kysell) executrix, are desired to make immediate payment of all bonds, notes, and book debts, to the subscriber, now living in Amelia township, St. Matthew's parish, otherwise they will be positively sued without distinction. ESTHER STENT.

RUN away from my plantation in Saint Mark's parish, a negro man named London, a Bricklayer by trade: he did formerly belong to the late Mr. Thomas Elfe, deceased, and served his time to Mr. Horlbeck in Charles-Town, where he has worked ever since, until lately, and where he is well known: As he has lately been frequently seen in town, I have reason to believe, that he is harboured by some person in it.—— Whoever will apprehend the said negro man London, and deliver him to me, or the Warden of the Workhouse, shall receive Ten Pounds reward. And any person who will give me information, by whom he is harboured or employed, shall receive Twenty Pounds, upon conviction of the offender.

THOMAS FARR.

Camden, October 18, 1777.

THE subscriber understands Linen Spining to perfection: He will undertake the said Business for a Factory, with good encouragement. Any gentleman having such business to transact may depend upon its being punctually performed by JEREMIAH SIMMONS.

PARAGRAPH of an ORDNANCE passed by the General Assembly of the State of South-Carolina, on the 14th Day of February, 1777.

AND whereas some evil minded Persons, inimical to the Liberties of the United States of America, have endeavoured to depreciate the Bills of Credit of this State; To prevent which, *Be it further Ordained by the Authority aforesaid*, That if any Person, within this State, shall attempt to depreciate or undervalue any of the Bills of Credit aforesaid, by offering, demanding, or receiving more, in any of the said Bills, in Exchange for Spanish milled Dollars, or other Coins of Gold or Silver, or Bullion, at the Value, in Proportion to Dollars, at which they pass in this State, or at which they are or may be fixed by the Congress of the United States of America; or by offering, demanding, or receiving, directly or indirectly, a greater Sum, in any of the said Bills, for any Houses, Lands, Goods or Commodities whatsoever, than the same could be purchased at, of the same Person or Persons, in Gold or Silver Money; or whoever shall sell, or offer to sell, House, Land, or any Kind of Commodity for Specie, and shall refuse to sell and dispose of the same, for any of the said Bills; every such Person so offending, shall forfeit the full Value of the Money so exchanged, or the Houses, Lands, Goods or Commodities so sold, or offered to Sale; one Half to the Use of this State, and the other Half to any Person who shall sue for and prosecute the same to Effect, to be recovered by Bill or Plaint, in Court of Record in this State.

Published by Order of the General Assembly,

PETER TIMOTHY, C. G. A.

A Gentleman wishes to be accommodated with board and lodging in a private family. Enquire of the Printer.

ON Saturday night the 4th instant, between the hours of nine and ten, as the subscriber was on the road opposite William Burrows, Esq's plantation, he was beset by two white men, who, after using him very roughly, took from him a small pocket book, in which was a forty shilling bill of old currency, pasted on paper, which appeared to have been taken out of a school boy's copy book: The bill was deficient in the middle from top to bottom, about the breadth of a letter, the two quarters to the right not clote, and the device corner deficient.——My sole purpose in advertising is, to put people on their guard against such villains.

JOSEPH ROPER.

STrayed or Stolen, out of the Rev. Mr. Purcel's stable, on Harleston's Green, in the night time, in September last, a small, sprightly bay Horse, about seven years old, canters and trots, is between 12 and 13 hands high, and branded on the mounting buttock, J. P. Whosoever delivers the said stray to Alexander Hume, or William Douxsaint, in Charles-Town, shall receive a reward of Ten Pounds.

STOLEN from off Charles-Town Green, about ten days past,

A BLACK GELDING,

with a bow mane, middling long tail, no perceptible brand, trots both in a carriage and when mounted by a rider.—Whoever brings the said gelding to me, shall receive Ten Pounds, and no questions asked.

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON.

P.S. Three Overseers well acquainted with making Indico, will, upon being properly recommended, receive good wages, and be allowed to put a few negroes of their own, on shares, upon as good land and as well improved as any in this State.

THE Subscribers give this notice to those persons who have hitherto neglected to discharge their respective accounts, due to the estate of David Linn, deceased, that unless speedily paid, they will be put in suit; and those persons who are in arrears for interest due on their bonds, are likewise desired to pay up the same, otherwise they will be called upon for both principal and interest.

WILLIAM ANCRUM, }
WILLIAM HALL, } Executors.
GEORGE ANCRUM. }

To be LET,

A Stable and Chair-House, very large and roomy, and likewise has a good loft, situate in Archdale-Street, opposite the New Meeting. For particulars enquire of the Subscriber, or Mr. John Waring in Charles-Town.

JAMES RAVENELL.

To be sold at Public Vendue,

On Wednesday the 10th day of December next, at the subscriber's plantation, in St. Matthew's parish, at ten o'clock in the forenoon,

A Valuable Plantation in St. Mark's parish, situated three miles above Col: Richard Richardson, containing 400 acres, by grant; 250 acres of which is extraordi- good high river swamp, only 50 acres cleared, with two sets of indico vats entirely new; the rest very good high land, with an overseer's house, and tolerable out buildings, and upwards of 100 acres under good fence: Also the negroes on said plantation, about forty in number, all prime likely plantation slaves, inferior to none in the state of said number; likewise the provisions made on said plantation.

Seven Hundred acres of land in St. John's parish, 600 of which are good swamp, the rest high land: the whole good provision land, and only 50 miles from Charles-Town.

Five Hundred and Sixty-one acres of land, in Ninety-six district, on Tyger River, 200 acres of which are extraordinary low grounds well stored with black walnut, 50 acres under good fence, a new dwelling-house and tolerable out-buildings—a pleasant situation, and only 190 miles from Charles-Town.——Twelve months credit will be given for the plantation in St. Mark's, and half the purchase money of the slaves: Three months credit for the remainder and the provisions. Two years credit for the two other plantations, paying the interest annually for all above twelve months credit, with approved security.

Any person or persons inclinable to view the plantations in St. Mark's, please to apply to Mr. John Cuthbert on said plantation; Mr. John Newman for that on Tyger River, or to the subscriber in St. Matthew's parish.

SAMUEL DUBOI.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WILLIAM LUYTEN, at the State aforesaid, who is in Custody of the Sheriff of Charles-Town District, by Virtue of Two Writs of Capias ad Respondendum, one at the Suit of John Dart, the other at the Suit of Thomas William Jenkins, having petitioned the Honourable William Henry Drayton, Esq; Chief Justice, and his Associates, Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted, to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of insolvent Debtors: IT IS ORDERED, That the said John Dart, Thomas William Jenkins and all others to whom the said Petitioner is any Wise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have Notice, to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, at the first Sitting of the Court of Common Pleas or General Sessions, which shall happen Three Months after Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Benefit of his Petition granted.

WILLIAM MASON, C.C.P.

Common-Pleas Office, Sept. 12, 1777. 3m

To be SOLD,

The Subscriber's valuable Plantation,

Thirty miles from Charles-Town, and 8 from a landing,

CONtaining 600 acres old measure; one half of which is excellent Rice Swamp, the other half is fit for indico, corn, &c. and has on it an overseer's house, barn, corn-house, and every other necessary out-building. This place is one of the best calculated for raising stock of any kind, of any in South-Carolina; there being an extraordinary fine range all round it. Three or four years credit will be given. Any person inclinable to purchase, may apply to Mr. John Joor, at the Cypress, or to the Subscriber on Sullivant's Island. Also,

Four rice stores in Dorchester, sufficient to contain 400 Barrels; they are well calculated for a dry goods store; apply as above. JOSEPH JOOR.

To be SOLD,

At Mr. Strickland's, near Charles-Town, on Thursday the 11th of December, 1777,

Between thirty and forty Negroes,

MOSTLY country born, amongst whom are a driver, (as complete as any in the State) boatmen, sawyers, house wenches, seamstresses, spinners, and many handy boys and girls. The conditions, twelve months credit, with interest from the day and approved security; the property not to be altered until the terms are complied with.

CHARLES BROWNE.

All persons indebted to him are desired to discharge their respective accounts, bonds and notes, to prevent suits being entered against them.

SHIP and BUTTER BISKETS are made and sold in any quantities, at my house, nearly opposite the Play-house, in Old Church-street.

WILLIAM BINNIE.

THOMAS JONES hereby requests all those indebted to him, on open account, to settle the same, before the first of January next, and those by bond or note, upwards of a year due, to pay at least the interest by the same time; and acquaints such as do not comply with this request, that his next application will be by an attorney at law, which, as it will be disagreeable, he hopes will be prevented: but should that not be the case, thinks the indulgence already given will justify his taking that method. He also acquaints those who are indebted to Edward Gunter deceased, that there is a necessity for collecting those debts as soon as possible, and that Mr. John Cox will receive the money of, and give discharges to, such as chuse to pay before the first day of March next, when all the remaining debts will be put into the hands of an attorney for recovery.

Charles-Town, Nov. 1, 1777.

Agreeable to the directions of an act of the General Assembly of this state to regulate the price and assize of bread, &c.

I Have enquired the price of flour, and find that imported from the Northern States to be at 11 l. pounds 10 s. per hundred pounds weight; and Carolina flour at 9l. both being used by the bakers, at which price the half-crown loaves must weigh as follows, viz.

Of NORTHWARD FLOUR.	lb.	oz.	Drs.	*Of* CAROLINA FLOUR.	lb.	oz.	Drs.
White,	0	14	8	White, —	1	2	0
Wheaten, —	1	5	12	Wheaten,	1	11	0
Household,	1	13	0	Household,	2	4	0

Of which all bakers of bread, are required to take notice.

GEORGE SHEED, Commissary General.

To be Sold by Auction,

Before the Exchange, on Thursday the 27th of November inst. at 12 o'clock at noon, pursuant to the last will and testament of Thomas Holman, late of St. Andrew's parish, Esq; deceased,

A Tract of 1000 acres of land, at the Salcatchers, bounding on the estate of Charles Odingsale, &c.

A tract of 700 acres, bounding on James Tice and William Garner's [illegible].

Two tracts [illegible] each, adjoining each other, on the waters of [illegible] river, bounding on John Broker's land, &c. The condition of the sale is cash: The plats of the above land will be shewn on the day of sale, and may be seen any time before, by applying to

ISAAC PEACE.

On Saturday the 22d of November, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, at the Front of the Exchange, will be sold

TWO HORSES,

ONE of them about fifteen hands high, and said to be a very good Chair Horse. Immediately after will be sold, at the Upper Market, TWO DRAYS with geer, a saddle, and sundry small articles, belonging to the Estate of James Morgan deceased

EDMUND EGAN, Administrator.

Who desires all those who have any demands to make them known, that they may be paid.

Immediately wanted, for the Public Service.

HALF a dozen active Overseers to take charge of the public works—and a diligent spirited man to superintend the several parties of labourers to be put under his care:—High encouragement will be given to such as shall deserve it. Applications from those who are willing to enter this service may be made to the subscriber.—It will be needless for any to apply but such as bring the best recommendation.

PETER BOURNETHEAU.

THE Members of the South-Carolina Society are desired to meet at Pointset's Tavern, on Tuesday the 18th of November next, on Business of Importance.

By Order of the Society,

JOHN M'CALL, jun. Clerk.

To be SOLD,

At Keithfield, near Monk's Corner, at public vendue, on Thursday the 4th of December next,

THE remaining stock of horses, belonging to the estate of Dr. Keith deceased: Also about forty head of tame cattle, with sundry other articles.—The conditions of the sale are cash: The property not to be altered, or the articles removed till the money is actually paid to

WILLIAM KEITH, Executor.

If Thursday should prove a rainy day, the sale will be on the first fair day after.

STOLEN out of a House, some Time since,

(Supposed by a Negro Wench)

A large, old fashion Silver Watch,

IT has also a silver Dial plate, on which is the maker's name, LOUIS LANNIER (if recollection serves right) it has no minute hand or number:—Shou'd it be offered for sale, to pawn, or repair, the person to whom it is offered is desired to stop it. A handsome reward will be given on its delivery at Mr. Timothy's Printing-office.

THE Subscriber has for sale, at his store in King street, two doors from Broad-street, old Jamaica rum in quarter-casks, or smaller quantities, not less than three gallons, tea, coffee, sugar, ginger, hair and gunpowder, corks, sheeting linen, Russia drab, huckaback, garlix, Irish ticking, thread lace, narrow cloth, plated shoe and knee buckles, artificial flowers, sash ribbons, an assortment of mens, womens and maids black shammoy and white kid gloves, and 130 boxes of Castile soap; all which he will sell for cash on very reasonable terms.

JACOB COHEN.

WAnted for the Public Rope-Walk, as soon as possible, 50 or 60,000 lb. of good hemp, clear of shives; the highest market price will be paid in cash for any part or parcel on delivery.—Any country gentleman willing to purchase on moderate terms, may have a reasonable commission, and if desired, 1000 l. cash advanced him, on giving approved security for performing his agreement; also the planter who grew it the last season (tho' it may not be yet dressed) may, if he likes, have cash advanced him in proportion to the quantity he will engage to deliver within six months, on said terms.—600 l. a year, more or less, according to his ability, will be allowed to a journeyman rope-maker, that is perfect master of his business, and if I am not furnished with such in a short time, I will give very good wages to a single man, well acquainted in town and with business in general, that might be depended upon, to do my business in and about town, and leave me to my work. Apply at said Rope-Walk, to

DANIEL O'NEILLE

No stranger to me, without a strong recommendation, need give himself any trouble to apply.

To be sold, by Public Sale,

To the highest bidder, at the plantation of the late Edmund Cossens, Esq; at the Horse-shoe, on Tuesday the 25th of November, inst.

ALL that valuable Rice Plantation, that belonged to the late William Jones, Esq; adjoining land whereon Captain William-Clay Snipes now resides. Consisting of about thirteen hundred acres, great part of which is excellent tupelo swamp, inferior to none in this state, with a good barn, &c. The conditions of the sale will be cash, on signing the titles by the subscriber, who will make good and sufficient titles.

JAMES COCHRAN.

AN Overseer is wanted for Joseph Ash's plantation at Will-Town. Without a proper recommendation it will be needless for any person to apply.

JOHN BERWICK.

Just arrived from Baltimore, late of Philadelphia,

Doctor M'GINNIS, Surgeon-Dentist.

HE acquaints the ladies and gentlemen, and the public in general, that he is at Mrs. Stuart's in Tradd-street, where he may be consulted in all disorders of the teeth, gums, sockets, ulcers, cancers, abscesses, fistulas, suppurations, and inflammations in the gums; not the gums only are afflicted by these disorders, but also the teeth, jaws, head, &c.——Those who had the misfortune of losing their teeth, have now an opportunity of having natural or artificial teeth fixed in, or grafted on stumps, from a single tooth to a complete set: If the sound teeth be ever so black, he can make them as white as ever they were, without giving the least pain; he prevents them from rotting, and those that are decayed from getting worse; he extracts teeth and stumps with great ease and safety.—What can be more useful or ornamental (especially to the fair sex) than a set of regular and beautifully polished teeth, embraced by sound and healty gums. His *Anti-Scorbutic Dentrifice* has proved beyond all contradiction, to be the most efficacious ever offered to the public for preserving the teeth, gums, and sweet breath, and effectually eradicates the scurvy, be it ever so bad, and restores the gums to their pristine state. A short continuance of the use of it, will cure the tooth ach, and prevent its return.——Any person or persons using this Anti-Scorbutic Dentrifice, above six or seven times, according to the directions, and not finding it answer the purpose proposed, shall have their money returned, on application.—His stay this time will be only a month or six weeks, as he is bound to sea.

NORTH and TRESCOT,

Have to dispose of, at their store on the Bay,

Old Jamaica, West-India and Norward Rum, by the hogshead, cask or three gallons,

MUscovado sugar,	Frying pans,
Gin,	Padlocks,
Brandy,	Marking irons,
Claret,	Scrubbing brushes,
Port and Madera wines,	Two-foot rules,
Coffee,	Writing paper and wafers,
Tea by the pound or canister,	Coffee mills,
Mustard,	Hand-saws,
Biskets in kegs,	Pump-jacks,
Osnabrugs,	Nails,
Britannias,	Paint and tallow brushes,
Platilloes,	Linseed and train oil,
Sheeting,	Lines of all sizes,
Linens,	Fish-kettles and tin ware of all sorts,
Checks and Stripes,	Earthen plates and bowls,
Knives and forks,	Sail duck, paints, twine and other articles of ship chandlery.
Pen and cutteau knives,	
Spoons,	

N. B. The best price given for empty bottles.

STolen or Strayed from Charles-Town Green, a Grey Horse, marked 2R on the mounting shoulder. Whoever delivers him to me in Charles-Town, shall receive a reward of Ten Pounds currency.

ISAAC HUGER.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of John M'Faddien, of Williamsburgh Township, deceased, by bond, note or book debt, are desired to make payment immediately, otherwise their obligations will be put into an attorney's hands to be sued for: Also all that the said estate is indebted to, are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested, on or before the 12th day of December, 1777, in order to receive payment. JOHN M'FADDIEN, Executor,

On the North side of Black River.

LOST from Prioleau's Dock, of the night of the 15th ult. A New Cypress Canoe, upwards of 23 feet long, and 3 feet wide, her bottom and sides, except her wale, payed over with pitch, and rows with four oars; there are two pieces in her sides opposite each other, near her stern, and another piece on the inside of her bow, under her fore-castle, with timbers over them. A reward of Five Pounds currency will be paid to any person that will deliver the above described canoe to Mr. John Richard Tollman.

TAKEN away from before Mr. Philip Tidyman's door, in Broad-street, on Monday or Tuesday last,

A Philadelphia made Cart.

Whoever will return it, or inform the subscriber where it is, so that he may have it again, shall be handsomely rewarded. THOMAS BOURKE.

To be sold by Public Sale,

Before the Exchange, on Thursday the 27th of November inst. at twelve o'clock at noon,

THAT well settled Rice Plantation, situate on the East-side of the Round O Savanna, in St. Bartholomew's parish, containing 560 odd acres large measure, formerly purchased of Capt. William Hambleton, and is now an excellent range for cattle, &c. having a good road both to the church and to a landing: The distance to Ponpon church being being nine miles, and thirteen to Jacksonborough landing.—The rice land is under good dams, and has a great command of water, having a reservoir belonging thereto, which is sufficient to flow the different fields at pleasure; with a quantity of high land for corn or indico, and is now under good fence, being planted the last season. On the premises is a dwelling house, kitchen, barn and negro houses, with a rice machine, two sets of indico vats, pumps, &c. complete, all new the last season.

Any person inclinable to purchase the said plantation, before the day appointed for sale, must treat with the subscriber, at her plantation at the Round O.

ANN BEATTY.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and acquaintance of his having declined business with Messr. Valk and Wayne, purposing to follow

The Factorage and Commission Businesses in general,

and hopes to give satisfaction to those who please to employ him. Any letters directed to him at Mr. William Cunnington's in Tradd-street, or at his house in Friend-street, will be duly attended to. AUDEON ST. JOHN.

Goose-Creek, Oct. 23.

I Am informed of a dark Bay Gelding, 13 hands high, branded on the off shoulder and rump M, with a white snip on his nose, and white feet.

Likewise of a light Grey Gelding, about thirteen hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder Y, both paces and trots. The Owners may prove their properties before

HENRY SMITH.

WAnted an Overseer to manage a Plantation at Goose-Creek, to whom good wages will be given. One who understands plowing will suit best. Apply to John Bowen, on Charles-Town Neck.

WAnted for a private family on John's Island, a single man, capable of teaching the English, Latin, and French languages, also writing and accounts. Such person, properly recommended, will meet with encouragement. Apply to the Printer.

One Hundred Dollars Reward.

DRifted or stolen in the night of the 30th ult. from Mr. George Monk's yard, within the flood-gate, the well-known SAILING BOAT, LIBERTY. Whoever secures and delivers the said sailing boat to the subscriber, or Mr. George Monk, ship carpenter, shall be entitled to a reward of Twenty Pounds currency; and any person or persons giving information of her being carried away or stolen, shall be entitled to a reward of 100 Dollars, to be paid on conviction of the offender or offenders, by

WM. M'KIMMY.

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